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Title: THERMOELECTRIC TRANSPORTATION	)	
MATERIAL CONTAINING NITROGEN	)	

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 17, 2007, please amend the above application as follows.

**A Listing of the Claims** begins on page 2 of this amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this amendment.

A clean version of the substitute specification and a marked up version showing the changes in the specification relative to the previous version are provided separately herein.